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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 12 October 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

11.30 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.	33rd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	34th PLENARY MEETING	

Conclusion of the United Nations Decade of Disabled Persons [93 (a)]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/415);

(b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.4).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 4

General debate on all disarmament and international security items:

Agenda items [49] (A/47/303); [50] (A/47/181, 355; [52] (A/47/405); [54] (A/47/77/Corr.1, 79); [55] (A/47/88, 387, 441, 449); [56] (A/47/93, 304); [58] (A/47/181); [60] (A/47/78, 89, 181, 391, 441, 449, A/C.1/47/L.1); [61] (A/47/77/Corr.1, 79, 85, 89, 92, 93, 96, 181, 183, 225, 312, 313, 314, 316 and Corr.1, 341, 342 and Corr.1, 356, 362, 370, 437, 441, 449, 452); [62] (A/47/96, 301, 347, 359, 391); [63] (A/47/27, 42, 77, 79, 85, 321, 345, 346, 354, 371, 417)); [64] (A/47/88); [67] (A.47/307, 375) [69] (A/47/56, 57, 58, 60, 64, 67, 68, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 81, 82, 88, 89, 94, 96, 97, 98, 99, 110, 122, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 133, 135, 136, 138, 153, 156, 157, 158, 160, 162, 163, 165, 166, 167, 170, 171, 172, 176, 177, 201, 205, 206, 208, 211/Cor.1, 213, 218, 221, 223, 224, 226, 227, 228, 233, 234, 239, 254, 258, 260, 267, 268, 269, 274, 275, 282, 284, 286, 290, 292, 300, 306, 318, 333, 335, 350, 351, 355, 357, 361, 372, 375, 380, 392, 421, 448, 497, A/C.1/47/3); [142] (A/47/461, 467).

FIRST COMMITTEE:
MEETING OF THE OFFICERS

Morning*- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room C

* Following the adjournment of the 3rd meeting of the First Committee.

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	12th meeting	Conference Room 2

International cooperation for economic growth and development [84] (A/47/88-S/23563, A/47/225-S/23998, A/47/305-E/1922/96, A/47/312-S/24238, A/47/344, A/47/351-S/24357, A/47/356-S/24367, A/47/375-S/24429, A/47/437)

(a) Implementation of the commitments and policies agreed upon in the Declaration on International Economic Cooperation, in particular the Revitalization of the Economic Growth and Development of the Developing Countries (A/47/397, A/47/363)

(b) Implementation of the International Development Strategy for the Fourth United Nations Development Decade (A/47/270-E/1992/74)

Introductory statement and general discussion

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	13th meeting	Conference Room 2

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Conclusion of general discussion

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	12th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization (A/47/33; A/47/67; A/47/60-S/23329) [133]

SIXTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations on the additional protocol on consular functions to the Vienna Convention on Consular Relations (item 135)

Afternoon*- 6 p.m.	6th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 5

* Following the adjournment of the 12th meeting of the Sixth Committee.

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SPECIAL COMMITTEE AGAINST APARTHEID

Day of Solidarity with South African Political Prisoners

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	661st meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

OTHER MEETINGS

1992 UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME

10 a.m- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room D
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room D

ARAB GROUP OF THE FIRST COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

COORDINATING BUREAU
OF NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on UNCED issues)

6 p.m.- 9 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

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Observance of the Day of Solidarity with South African Policital Prisoners

As part of the observance of the Day of Solidarity, the Special Committee is organizing a roundtable on the theme "The Role of law enforcement and law enforcement officials during the transition period and after". Experts from inside and outside South Africa will participate in the roundtable. The roundtable will convene on Monday, 12 October 1992, at 2.30 p.m. in Conference Room 6.

All delegates and representatives of the specialized agencies and non-governmental organizations are invited to attend both meetings.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, 13 October 1992

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

10 a.m.	35th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall
3 p.m.	36th PLENARY MEETING	

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(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/47/415);

(b) Draft resolution (A/47/L.4).

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	5th meeting	Conference Room 4
3 p.m.	6th meeting	

FOURTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 1

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	14th meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.	15th meeting	

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	4th meeting	Conference Room 3
3 p.m.	5th meeting	

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	13th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

SIXTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations on the draft articles on the status of the diplomatic courier and the diplomatic bag not accompanied by diplomatic courier and of the draft optional protocols thereto (point 132)

Morning*	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

* Following the adjournment of the 13th meeting of the Sixth Committee.

SIXTH COMMITTEE

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3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

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Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

There will be a meeting of the cosponsors of draft resolution A/C.1/47/L.1 (Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction), tabled under agenda item 60 (Chemical and bacteriological (biological) weapons) following the afternoon meeting of the First Committee on Tuesday, 13 October 1992, in Conference Room 4.

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THIRD COMMITTEE

The Third Committee will hold its 8th and 9th meetings on Wednesday, 14 October 1992, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m., to continue and conclude its joint consideration of agenda items 91 and 92.

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The PREPARATORY COMMITTEE OF THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS will convene on Thursday, 22 October 1992, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

The ORGANIZATIONAL COMMITTEE OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION will meet in New York on 14, 15 and 22 October 1992, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 6.

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OTHER MEETINGS

There will be a closed meeting of the GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77 *(on restructuring)* on Tuesday, 13 October 1992, from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

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Weekly DPI/NGO briefing

The DPI/NGO briefing in Commemoration of the End of the United Nations Decade of Disabled Persons, and the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Special Olympics International will take place on Thursday, 15 October 1992, from 10 a.m. to 11.30 a.m. at the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

At 10 a.m. the DPI video "Breaking Barriers" will be shown. At 10.30 a.m. the speakers will be : Ms. Inez Wyngaarde-Mahajan, Disabled Affairs Officer, UNCSDHA, Vienna; and Mr. George Smith, Director of Sports Training and Education, Special Olympics International.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 9 October 1992

SECURITY COUNCIL

3122nd meeting

The situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the council, invited the representative of Bosnia and Herzegovina, at his request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedures.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/24636, which was submitted by Austria, Belgium, France, Morocco, the Russian Federation, the United Kindgom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America.

Before the vote, a statement was made by the representative of China.

The Council then proceeded to the vote on the draft resolution (S/24636) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/24636) received 14 votes in favour, none against and 1 abstention (China), and was adopted as resolution 781 (1992)

After the vote, statements were made by the representatives of the United States, India, Austria and Morocco, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of France.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-seventh session

31st plenary meeting

Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization (A/47/1) [10]

The representatives of the United Kingdom (on behalf of States Members of the European Community), Australia, Argentina, Slovenia, Austria, Mexico, Brazil, Cuba, Sweden (also on behalf of Denmark, Finland, Iceland and Norway), and Malaysia made statements.

32nd plenary meeting

Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization (A/47/1) [10]

The representatives of Canada, Hungary, Poland, Pakistan, the United States, the United Republic of Tanzania, New Zealand, the United Arab Emirates, Malta, Croatia, Japan, Cyprus, Ukraine and Colombia made statements.

Tentative programme of work

The President announced that the debate concerning agenda item 10 (report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization) would continue on Wednesday, 14 October, and that further meetings and informal discussions would be scheduled on this subject as needed.

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE 2nd meeting

The Chairman made an introductory statement.

Election of the Bureau

Upon nomination by the representative of Poland, the Committee elected by acclamation H.E. Mr. Moises Fuentes-Ibañez (Bolivia) as a Vice-Chairman.

Upon nomination by the representative of Germany, the Committee elected by acclamation Mr. Abdullah Mohamed Alsaidi (Yemen) as Vice-Chairman.

Upon nomination by the representative of Egypt, the Committee elected by acclamation Mr. Yuriy Shevchenko (Ukraine) as the Rapporteur.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

The Chairman then reviewed matters of procedure and the programme of work.

The Committee took a decision concerning the distribution of its summary records.

The Chairman then drew attention to documents A/SPC/47/1 and A/SPC/47/L.1 pertaining to the organization of the Committee's work for this session.

Statements were made by the representatives of Jordan, the United Arab Emirates, Zimbabwe and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya.

The Chairman responded.

Pending further consultations, the Committee decided to defer a decision on the tentative timetable set out in document A/SPC/47/L.1 until its next meeting. The Committee then took a decision on the timing of its consideration of two agenda items, namely item 70 (Science and peace) and item 71 (Effects of atomic radiation), which would be taken up on Tuesday, 20 October.

It was announced that the list of speakers on item 71 was open and that it would be closed at the end of the meeting on 20 October.

Apartheid hearings

Pursuant to the Assembly's decision in connection with item 33 (Policies of apartheid of the Government of South Africa), the Committee decided to devote two meetings to hearings on apartheid on Friday, 6 November. The Committee also decided that organizations and individuals wishing to be heard by it should submit their requests in writing to the Chairman of the Committee no later than Thursday, 22 October.

Establishment of Working Groups

The Committee decided to establish an open-ended Working Group on Questions relating to information (item 76) to be chaired by one of the Committee's Vice-Chairmen.

The Committee decided to establish an open-ended Working Group to be chaired by the delegation of Austria on international cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space (item 72).

SECOND COMMITTEE 10th meeting

Organization of work

Statements on a point of order were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its Member States), Greece, Tunisia, Nigeria, Peru, Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77) and Ghana.

Development and international economic cooperation (Part I) [78]

(c) New and renewable sources of energy

(d) Development of the energy resources of developing countries

(e) International cooperation to mitigate the environmental consequences on Kuwait and other countries in the region resulting from the situation between Iraq and Kuwait

The Committee began its consideration of the cluster of sub-items (c), (d) and (e) under agenda item 78 and heard introductory statements by the Special Representative of the Secretary-General for Public Affairs and the Director of the Division for Science, Technology, Energy, Environment and Natural Resources of the Department of Economic and Social Development.

Statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan (on behalf of the Group of 77), the United Kingdom (on behalf of the European Community and its Member States) and Algeria.

11th meeting

The Committee continued its consideration of the cluster of sub-items (c),(d) and (e) under agenda item 78 and heard statements by the representatives of Austria, India, Venezuela, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Kuwait, the Russian Federation, Iraq, Azerbaijan, Ukraine, Senegal and China.

The representative of the UNESCO also made a statement.

The Committee thus concluded the general discussion of agenda sub-items 78 (c), (d) and (e).

THIRD COMMITTEE 7th meeting

Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [9]

Right of peoples to self-determination [92]

The Committee resumed its joint consideration of the items and heard statements by the representatives of Guatemala, Romania, Nigeria, the United States, New Zealand, Sierra Leone, Chile, Ukraine, Brazil and Tunisia.

The observer for the Holy See also made a statement.

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COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Second session
United Nations Office at Geneva

THURSDAY, 8 OCTOBER 1992

44th meeting

Other matters [14]

The Committee continued the debate on the item.

Future meetings [13]

The Committee considered the item.

45th meeting

Future meetings [13]

The Committee continued and concluded it consideration of item 13.

Consideration of the report of the committee

The Committee considered its report.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

International Tropical Timber Agreement, 1983, concluded at Geneva on 18 November 1983

Accession: Guyana (7 October 1992)*

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Signature: Fiji (9 October 1992)

Convention on Biological Diversity, opened for signature at Rio de Janeiro on 5 June 1992

Signature: Fiji (9 October 1992)

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pass and Identification Office

The Pass and Identification Office (Room GA-100) will be closed from 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. as of Monday, 12 October 1992.

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Chairmen of the regional groups

The following information regarding the Chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of October has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Mauritania
H.E. Mr. Mohamedou Ould Mohamed Mahmoud

Asian States:
Turkey
H.E. Mr. Mustafa Aksin

Eastern European States:
Armenia
H.E. Alexander Arzoumanian

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Uruguay
H.E. Mr. Ramiro Piriz-Ballon

Western European and Other States:
Denmark
H.E. Mr. Bent Haakonsen

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